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450100-02887

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Tadao YOSHIDA et al.  
Serial No. : 09/726,867  
Filed : November 30, 2000  
For : BROADCASTING SYSTEM AND RECEPTION APPARATUS  
Examiner : Christopher M. Lambrecht  
Art Unit : 2611

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.  
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

**Claims as Amended**

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	18	Minus	20	0 x	\$18 (9)	= \$0.00
Independent claims	2	Minus	3	0 x	\$86 (43)	= \$0.00
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$0.00

- \* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.  
\*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
\*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$290(145) has been previously paid ☐, or is paid herewith ☐.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the first month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a one-month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is attached, which covers the cost of ☐ additional claims ☐ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Signature

August 23, 2004

Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action of May 21, 2004, please amend this application as follows: